Amendments to the Claims

These claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (currently amended) A method for controlling a media content processing device, comprising: ~~(1),~~

~~- where~~ pre-defining a ~~multitude~~ plurality of content descriptors; ~~(CD1, CD2) are pre-defined~~,

~~- where it is determined~~ determining whether a media content ~~(VI)~~ to be processed is described by a pre-defined content descriptor; ~~(CD1, CD2),~~

~~- where~~ automatically adjusting a device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22) is automatically adjusted~~ based on the content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2)~~ which describes the media content ~~(VI)~~ to be processed; [[,]] and

~~- where~~ automatically controlling the media content processing device ~~(1) is automatically controlled,~~ based on the device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22)~~.

2. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to claim 1, wherein ~~where a~~ the content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2), describing a media content (VI) to be processed,~~ is entered by a user.

3. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~claim 1, wherein ~~where a~~ the media content ~~(VI) to be processed~~ comprises, as an accompanying signal, ~~a~~ the content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2)~~ describing the media content ~~(VI)~~ to be processed.

4. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~claim 1, wherein ~~where a~~ the content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2) describing the media content (VI) to be processed,~~ is extracted from ~~a~~ the media content ~~(VI)~~ to be processed.

5. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~claim 1, wherein ~~where~~ the media content processing device ~~(1)~~ comprises a content rendering device ~~(5)~~, and the device control parameter ~~(P11,P12,P21,P22)~~ controls the content rendering.

6. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to claim 5, wherein ~~where~~ the device control parameter ~~(P11,P12,P21,P22)~~ controls the volume of the content rendering device ~~(5)~~.

7. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~claim 1, wherein

~~where~~ the device control parameter ~~(P11,P12,P21,P22)~~ configures a function unit of the media content processing device ~~(1)~~ to control the reaction of this function unit in response to specific input parameters.

8. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to claim 7, wherein ~~where~~ the function unit comprises a user interface ~~or is part of a user interface~~, and the device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22)~~ controls the interaction between the user and the media content processing device ~~(1)~~.

9. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to claim 8, wherein ~~where~~ the device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22)~~ controls the response of the media content processing device ~~(1)~~ to remote control commands.

10. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to ~~any of the claims 7 to 9~~claim 7, wherein

~~where~~ the function unit comprises at least one of a speech recognition device ~~(3) or~~ and a speaker identification device ~~(3) or is part of a speech recognition device (3) or a speaker~~

~~identification device (3)~~, and the device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22)~~ controls a speech recognition process or a speaker identification process.

11. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The method according to ~~any of the preceding claims~~claim 1, wherein

~~where~~ the relationship between device control parameter ~~(P11,P12,P21,P22)~~ and content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2)~~ can be configured by the user.

12. (currently amended) A media ~~Media~~ content processing device, comprising: ~~(1)~~

~~- with~~ a content descriptor detection arrangement ~~(6),~~ configured for determining whether a media content ~~(VI)~~ to be processed is described by a predefined content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2)~~ of a ~~multitude~~ plurality of predefined content descriptors; ~~(CD1, CD2),~~

~~- with~~ a control unit ~~(8),~~ configured such that a device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22)~~ is adjusted based on the content descriptor ~~(CD1, CD2)~~ describing the media content ~~(VI)~~ to be processed, and ~~such~~ the media content processing device ~~(1)~~ is automatically controlled based on the device control parameter ~~(P11, P12, P21, P22)~~.